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AMENDMENT A

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2002, a response to which is due March 27, 2003 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please CANCEL claims 20-25 without prejudice or disclaimer.

REMARKS

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 1, 4 and 5 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,399,421 to Han et al., claim 2 under §103(a) as being unpatentable over Han et al., and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,463,253 to Waki et al., claims 3, 7, and 9-11 under §103(a) as being unpatentable over Han et al, and further in view of U.S. Patent Publication 2002/0137327 to Arakawa, claim 6 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Han et al, and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,437,429 to Su et al., claim 8 under §103(a) as being unpatentable over Han et al. and Arakawa, and further in view of Su et